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Title: **CAPACITIVE SENSING DEVICE FOR USE IN A KEYPAD ASSEMBLY**

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**NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE
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Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the examiner date,

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(complete (a) or (b) as applicable)

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(b) Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

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